GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2333
ANSWERED ON:04.12.2001
DECLARATION OF VILLAGES AS MADA REGION IN MAHARASHTRA
DILIP KUMAR MANSUKHLAL GANDHI

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a)the directives issued by the Union Government for declaring a region as Adivasi region; .

(b)whether the Union Government have received a proposal from the Government of Maharashtra for declaring 78 villages of Hingna Teshil of Nagpur District as MADA region;

(c)if so, the details thereof; and

(d)the decision taken by the Union Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM)

(a)No directive has been issued by this Ministry for declaring a region as Adivasi region.

(b)&(c) Yes, Sir. The proposal for creation of new MADA Pockets namely, Adegaon, Ratnagdhra and Ruikhari in Hingna Tehsil of district Nagpur has been received from the Government of Maharashtra.

(d)The State Government has been requested to furnish certain information and indicative map for creation of new MADA Pockets. The proposal of the State Government will be considered by this Ministry, soon after the receipt of requisite information from the State Government.